

## APPLICATION FOR THE POSTGRADUATE SPECIALTY PROGRAM IN ORTHODONTICS

SCHOOL YEAR 2022/2023

### 1. Regulation and Curricular Structure

<https://www.fmd.ulisboa.pt/especialidade-de-ortodontia/>

### 2. Application Requirements

a) Holders of a Doctor of Dental Medicine in Dentistry or Doctor of Dental Surgery degree or integrated Master's degree in Dental Medicine.

b) Holders of a foreign higher-education degree that is recognized by the Scientific Council as satisfying the objectives of one of the degrees referred to in the previous paragraph, for the purposes of further studies.

The recognition referred to in subparagraph b) is valid only for access to the Course and does not confer recognition of the degrees of Doctor of Dental Surgery, Doctor of Dental Medicine, nor Master in Dental Medicine or the recognition of these degrees.

### 3. Vacancies and Application Deadlines

	1 <sup>st</sup> Phase	2 <sup>nd</sup> Phase
<b>Vacancies</b>	4	Unfilled vacancies
<b>Applications</b>	14/02 to 31/08	14/09 to 23/09
<b>Evaluation of applications</b>	01 to 02/09	26 to 27/09
<b>Written and practical exams</b>	07/09	28/09
<b>Interviews</b>	05 to 09/09	29 to 30/09
<b>Publication of results</b>	12 to 13/09	03 to 07/10
<b>Start of the Scholar Year</b>	From 10/10	From 10/10

## 4. Requested Documents for Application

Candidates must attach the following documents to the application form:

- a) Certificate proving one of the degrees referred to in subheading number two of this article;
- b) Curriculum Vitae;
- c) Passport photograph;
- d) Identification Document;
- e) Letter(s) of recommendation;
- f) Letter of motivation.

## 5. Admission Criteria and Ranking

1. The candidate will be evaluated by curricular assessment, complemented by a written test, a practical test and an individual interview.
2. Only those candidates who present an overall grade higher than 9.5 in a 0-20 scale will be considered candidates for ranking.
3. In the event of remaining vacancies, candidates not admitted on the 1<sup>st</sup> Phase are automatically registered for a new evaluation process in the subsequent phase, without the need to pay a new application fee.

### Recommended Bibliography for the Written Test:

1. Proffit WR. Contemporary Orthodontics. 6th edition. ed. Philadelphia, IL: Elsevier; 2019 (ISBN: 978-0-323-54387-3). Chapters 1-14 (pgs 2-500) and Chapter 20 (pgs 657-719).
2. Graber LW, Vanarsdall RL, Vig KWL, Huang GJ. Orthodontics : Current Principles and Techniques. 6th edition. ed. St. Louis, Missouri: Elsevier; 2017 (ISBN: 978-0-323-37832-1). Chapters 1-5 (pgs 1-186), Chapter 14 (pgs 367-394) and Chapter 33 (pgs 981-997).
3. Jacobson A, Caufield PW. Radiographic Cephalometry. From Basics to Videoimaging. Chicago: Quintessence Publishing Co 1995 (0-86715-294-X). Chapters 1-8 (pgs 1-112).
4. Enlow DH, Hans MG. Essentials of Facial Growth. Philadelphia: Saunders; 1996 (ISBN 0-7216-6106-8). Chapters 1-7 (pgs 1-121), Chapter 12 (pgs 200-219) and Chapter 16 (pgs 265-280).

## 6. Tuition and Fees

- a) Non-refundable application fee of €100 (one hundred euros);
- b) Annual tuition fee for students from EU countries – €10,000.00 (fifteen thousand euros), at the time of registration/enrollment;

- c) Annual tuition fee for international students (coming from a non-EU country and who are not Portuguese) – €15,000.00 (fifteen thousand euros), at the time of registration/enrollment;
- d) Alternatively, students may choose to pay the tuition fee in 8 installments;

Installments	EU Countries	International Students
Installment nº1	2.300€	3.800€
Installment nº2	1.100€	1.600€
Installment nº3	1.100€	1.600€
Installment nº4	1.100€	1.600€
Installment nº5	1.100€	1.600€
Installment nº6	1.100€	1.600€
Installment nº7	1.100€	1.600€
Installment nº8	1.100€	1.600€

In case of withdrawal from studies, the student is not reimbursed for the payment made at the time of registration and enrollment, being obliged to pay the installments of the annual frequency fee (tuition fee) that have not yet expired.

## 7. Application Procedure

The submission of applications is carried out through the online Fenix Application Portal at FMD-UL for new students: <https://fenix.fmd.ulisboa.pt/accountCreation>

Students who already have a Fenix academic portal account can apply directly through the portal.

### How to submit the application online

Before submitting your online application, we ask that you carefully read the instructions below. If you have any questions about submitting your application, do not hesitate to contact the Academic Services - [academicos@fmd.ulisboa.pt](mailto:academicos@fmd.ulisboa.pt) - or the commission for international students - [helena.matos@fmd.ul.pt](mailto:helena.matos@fmd.ul.pt) - of the Faculty of Dental Medicine.

#### The application requires the payment of a non-refundable fee of 100 EUR.

1. To apply online, you must access the Fénix system. To do so, you must necessarily pre-register in the application.
2. **Important Note:** There have been some problems sending messages for pre-registration to addresses with the following domains: @netcabo.pt; @hotmail.com; @vodafone.pt. As the reason for delivery failures is beyond ULisboa's control, if your email is from one of these domains, we inform you that we cannot guarantee that notifications will be delivered in a timely manner.

3. After accessing the application, you must select the Candidate tab. Next, you must create your application, choosing the regime and course. After these steps, you must fill in the data requested in the electronic form.
4. All documents necessary for the application process must be attached in digital format.
5. The online application will only become valid after payment of the respective application fee, for which an ATM reference will be provided (usable only within the portuguese banking system). It is also possible to pay by debit or credit card. If payment is not made by the date indicated, the application will be cancelled.
6. Failure to submit the necessary documents, or their incorrect presentation (eg illegible document, non-legalized foreign document, etc.) will invalidate the application, and the candidate will be informed of this fact through the Fénix platform or to the address e-mail indicated as “Principal” in the application's personal data sheet. In case of inaccuracy, the candidate must make the indicated changes by the end of the application submission deadline. If the necessary corrections are not made or the requested elements are not presented, the application will be cancelled.
7. Errors or omissions made when filling in the electronic application form, or when instructing the application process, are the sole responsibility of the candidate.

At the end of the ranking process, candidates will be informed by e-mail of the final result of the application. The ranking list will also be published on this page. In case of selection, it will be subject to the presentation at the Academic Services of the submitted original documents (or certified copies), during the indicated period.

Start your application at <https://fenix.fmd.ulisboa.pt/accountCreation>

## 8. Results

The results will be published on the [FMD-UL Portal](#) or on the Fenix Platform where the candidate submitted the application.

## 9. Additional Information

For additional information, you can contact FMD-UL Academic Services at the following e-mail address: [academicos@fmd.ulisboa.pt](mailto:academicos@fmd.ulisboa.pt) .

## 10. Language

Portuguese as first language and English as secondary language, Non-native portuguese speakers should perform a certified Portuguese language course during the first year residency.